WHEREAS, Daniel R. Bucks, with a little help from his friends, reorganized the Executive Branch of South Dakota State Government; and,

WHEREAS, Daniel R. Bucks did not reorganize the Legislative Branch of State Government; and,

WHEREAS, Despite this shortcoming, Dan has accomplished more during his reign in State Government than most individuals accomplish in a lifetime; and,

WHEREAS, Those who Dan leaves behind, including the Joint Appropriations Committee, will feel his influence for years to come; and,

WHEREAS, Dirigibles are not all that cockamamy an idea; and,

WHEREAS, The same may not be said about the State Comprehensive Plan;and,

WHEREAS, The Personnel of the State Planning Bureau acknowledge that "idealism is the best pragmatism" even if "no one around here is organized"; and,

WHEREAS, Jane Bucks in the image of her loving, talented and dedicated husband, chopping larch and pine trees notwithstanding; and,

WHEREAS, Dan and Jane have learned the difference between debate and dialogue; and,

WHEREAS, The Future of South Dakota will be different because of Dan and Jane Bucks:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of September 12-16, 1977, as

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in South Dakota, during which all State employees will call to mind the challenge that beneath the stacks of paper on their desks there lies an idea whose time has come--if only they, like Dan Bucks, had the courage, patience, and secretarial assistance to find it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, this Fourteenth Day of September, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Seven

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE